

Albany eyes wide ranging job corps

Committee submitting ...

Guideline report on Albany Hill

ALBANY — Preservation of the Albany Hill oak woodlands, which includes a stand of trees some of which are over 200 years old, is recommended in a report to be presented Tuesday evening to the Planning and Zoning Commission.

Also discussed in the

"Open Space Development Report" compiled by the Albany Hill Land Use Study Committee are:

- design guidelines for hill development,
- extension of a loop bikeway system around the Hill,
- further study of the pre-

sent and future hill traffic problems.

—agreements with adjacent landowners to allow public use and management of private open space lands.

These recommendations are the result of a six-month study by the Land Use Committee. Neil Havlik, chairman of the group, said yesterday.

"The study, authorized by the Albany City Council in July of 1976, is formulating guidelines for any further development of the area which may be contemplated, and considering sites which may be preserved intact."

"The committee concentrated its efforts on an approximately 30 acre study area, which included the remaining open space lands on the hill which are not covered under the use permit for the Gateway project. The study area included the two city parks on the hill for reference, but recommendations for the parks was outside the committee's charge."

"The private lands included in the study area are the 11 acre property on the western side of the hill which is zoned for single family residential use, and a number of parcels on the eastern side of the hill, all of which are zoned for multi-unit residential use."

"The committee's goal was to develop an area plan which would carry out the policies of the city's general plan and protect the most valuable features of Albany Hill in a fiscally feasible manner."

"The objectives of the Special Area Plan are (1) to

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By NORMAN COLBY
I-G Staff Writer

ALBANY — Formation of an Albany Civilian Conservation Corps, with a "nucleus of employees doing a wide variety of tasks," is one of the city's proposals for using from \$75,000 to \$225,000 in federal job funds.

The Albany CCC would cost about \$192,000 over a six months period, under an application being considered by the city council.

The council last night set March 14 for a public hearing to consider more than 30 proposals for spending \$777,000 in federal funds under the CETA Title 6 program.

Since the applications far exceed the amount of funding, the council will be forced to reduce, eliminate or combine many of the proposed projects.

The federal funding is intended to provide local jobs. Deadline for submitting the city's final application to the Alameda County Training and Employment Board is March 15.

The council also named Mayor Joyce Jackson and Councilmen Mike Gleason and Robert Luoma to attend work sessions tonight and Thursday night, when "evaluations" of the applications will be made.

The \$192,000 Albany Conservation Corps proposal would, "... provide a nucleus of employees doing a wide variety of tasks necessary to meet needs throughout the community."

The proposal states, "Retired persons with skills doing part-time work to overcome various deficiencies of society, housing, human services and public services. Twenty five participants or equivalent."

The second largest proposal is the \$114,000 "Public Service Coordinated Project."

Other proposals include:

—Building dismantling project, \$109,000.

—Senior Citizens Home Repair Service, \$67,000.

—Beautification of Albany Hill and area creeks, \$44,600.

—Senior Citizens Meal Preparation, \$38,700.

—Outreach to isolated elderly, \$35,400.

—Waterfront cleanup and slope protection, \$34,500.

—Senior citizens transportation, \$20,700.

—Special projects, public works, \$20,700.

The council is also planning to submit an application to federal authorities for funding to construct an access road with utilities from the freeway to the Albany waterfront area.

Total cost would be about \$855,000 with the federal Economic Development Administration asked to provide \$555,000 and the local share being about \$300,000.

The council has set its priorities for such projects receiving outside help, with the others in order of importance being expansion of the Albany Library, redesigning of San Pablo Avenue.

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WINNING TICKET — Dorothy Pitter of 1353 Marin Ave., presents a raffle-stub in exchange for the color television set that was offered as the grand prize of Albany's Day At The Races. Accepting the claim is Wil-

liam Lacy, president of the Albany Chamber of Commerce. The Zenith was presented by Glenn Hertzberg of Supreme TV.

—Luoma photo

Paintings, sketches of three Albany 'seniors' in exhibit

ALBANY — Paintings and sketches of three members of the Albany Senior Citizens' Center have been selected for display at a "special public show."

Stephanie Fallcreek, director of the Center, announced today.

A watercolor by Gertrude Gaffney, a Muriel Charles acrylics, and a crayon sketch of Jack Quinn's will be among the works ex-

hibited in the second of a series of "Art In Public Places" shows. Titled "A Rich Old Age," the exhibit "is intended to offer a positive image of the elder years."

The show opens this afternoon at 4 in the North Oakland Welfare Office, at 4501 Broadway, and will run through April 13.

The three Albany exhibitors, all members of Gloria Trout's drawing and painting class (sponsored by the Albany Parks and Recreation Department), will be present at the public reception scheduled this afternoon.

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"And there's another 20 days to go before Spring," George Bernard, Albany's veteran weatherman, exulted today. "We should stay ahead of 1976 and wind up with more precipitation than last year's record low of 11.98 inches. To date we've got 9.06."

But George isn't anticipating more rain in the immediate future. "Moon's wrong at the moment, and the winds are coming out of the north, which doesn't help."

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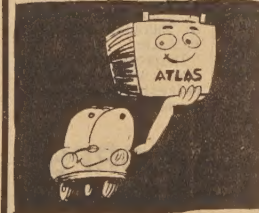
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'HILL' GUIDELINES

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guide development; (2) to minimize impacts of development upon existing city parklands; (3) to protect natural resources; (4) to preserve the essential character of the hill, and (5) to implement these objectives with the minimum necessary direct purchase of land by the city, by the imposing of legal development controls on property," Havlik continued.

"Following establishment of objectives, the committee studied both the city's General Plan policies and the existing natural and urban resources of the hill. It was found that the hill is ready for development, with streets and water service available. The land is zoned for both single family and multi-unit residential use, and it was found that the hill, although steep, does not present the extreme landslide or other slope stability problems found for example in the Berkeley or Oakland Hills.

"It also was found that the hill possesses significant natural resource value, including a botanically rich oak woodland containing oak trees over 200 years old, stands of native bunch grasses, a diverse wildlife population, and educational and scenic value. With this information, the committee then considered recommendations, both to guide further development of Albany Hill, and to protect the natural resources of the hill. The resulting Albany Hill Special Area Plan is outlined below:

"1. City acquisition of approximately one-half acre of property at the northern end of Jackson Street is recommended, in order to assure protection of the oak woodland and Creekside Park.

"2. A series of development guidelines are proposed, which are intended to assure a high quality of design in hill development. These guidelines include retaining the use permit/design review process as a single process (thus a use permit may be denied or withheld due to unsatisfactory design), off-street parking requirements (1½ spaces per unit for all hill development), side yard (20 percent) and driveway (75 percent) requirements, and design recommendations. These include stepping to follow the hill's natural slopes, sloping roofs, and considerations for choice of

materials or colors, and for landscaping.

"3. Special design considerations for the northern end of Taft Street across from the existing City Park are recommended in order to minimize the visual impact of development there upon the park, and to preserve views from the park. Guidelines include setback, landscaping, driveway, and height considerations.

"4. It is recommended that existing city regulations governing environmental impacts of development, and the preparation of environmental impact reports, be retained.

"5. In addition to general design guidelines which apply to all hill development, additional guidelines are recommended for the undeveloped single family residential area on the western side of the hill. These include retaining the wooded nature of the area, encouraging of clustering in order to minimize grading and excavation, preservation of native grasses to the greatest extent feasible, and dedication of the area identified in the General Plan as Open Space-Conservation to the city when the property is developed.

"6. A traffic study of the hill area, either by city staff or by consultant, is recommended to deal with specific problems identified during the course of the study. These include dangerous corners on Hillside Street, traffic loads and circulation, and problems of speeding.

"General Committee recommendations are to retain the non-through character of hill streets, provide access to the western part of the hill from Pierce Street, retain the existing unimproved right-of-way between the ends of Taft and Jackson Streets for emergency access only, and retain the unimproved Madison Street right-of-way to provide access to Creekside Park.

"7. It is recommended that Madison Street between Solano Avenue and Creekside Park be designated as a city bicycle route, and consideration be given to extension of a bicycle path from the park westward to Pierce Street. This would establish Creekside Park as a bicycle destination point and make possible a loop bikeway around Albany Hill.

"8. It is finally recom-

mended that the city seek agreements with property owners adjacent to the parks to allow public use and/or management of open space lands. Specifically, seek an agreement with Interstate General Corp., or its grantees to allow public use of the 18 acres of hill open space retained in private ownership.

"Of particular value would be a bicycle path between Creekside Park and Pierce Street, and a foot-path from Creekside Park around the western side of the hill, connecting ultimately to the hilltop. Seek agreements with adjacent property owners on Jackson and Madison Streets to assure maximum protection of the remaining oak woodland, following development of these properties. As described in five above, the open space area of the 11 acre property on the western side of Albany Hill should be dedicated to the city at the time the property is developed.

"The committee carried out its work on a consensus basis, in order to work out differences of opinion between members and arrive at a conclusion which all committee members would support. It is hoped that this plan will be a feasible and effective means of protecting the hill's values as an open space area and wildlife refuge, as visual open space, and as an asset to the community. The plan will be presented to the Albany Planning and Zoning Commission at the regular commission meeting, which begins at 8 p.m. Public attendance and comment is invited," Havlik concluded.

Serving with Havlik on the committee are Jack Hogg, Dr. Joe McBride, Howard McNenny, Paul Nomura and Ann Berry.

Cigarette tax allocations made by state

SACRAMENTO — State Controller Kenneth Cory today announced the distribution of \$7,369,858 to counties and cities as the February apportionment of cigarette tax.

Alameda County received \$44,697, and Albany got \$4,283. The 58 counties' share was \$1,449,527 and the cities' share totaled \$5,920,331.



NOW HEAR THIS — A public address system — microphone, amplifier and four speakers — was presented to the City of Albany, for use at the local Senior Center, this week by the Albany Rotary Club. The presentation was made by Rotary President Tony Mon-

tano (center) and Rotary Project Chairman Hal Denham (right). Denham recommended the gift as the service club's community project. At left is Stephanie Fallcreek who, as director of the Senior Center, accepted the equipment. —Luoma photo

Albany Senior Citizens news

Tax Aid

Tax aid counselors will be at the Albany Senior Center, 846 Masonic Ave., Albany, Friday morning. Free assistance will be available from 9 a.m. to noon for interpretation of tax regulations and explanation of computations which are required. The new tax law gives many benefits for low income brackets but there are important differences between State and Federal regulations.

"Even though income may be too small to require filing, a person must file a

return to receive cash credits or refunds. This is of special interest for renters in California," an IRS spokesman said today.

Persons seeking information, or desiring their tax returns checked, are advised to bring all necessary tax data and forms. Counseling service will be available on "a first come, first served" basis.

Senior Citizens' Center

Wednesday classes for seniors thru auspices of Albany Adult School include: 10:45—Age of Elegance; 12:30—Creative Retirement (today's topic: SAGE: What It's All About), speaker is David Cunningham, staff member of SAGE.

Thursday: 10:30 Bingo; 12:30 Business Meeting, cards in the afternoon.

Friday: Community Service meets at 10 a.m., the Bridge Party is at 12:30.

Saturday: Open at noon for bag lunch, cards and conversation. Dance 2-4.

Sunday: Open at noon. Bag lunch and cards.

Monday: 10 a.m. water color class, Ogleby Party at 12:30.

Tuesday: Needlecraft group meets at 10:30. Exercise Class is at 2:00.

Museum Program

"Art and Conversation," a special free program for senior citizens at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art will feature a discussion on the current photographic exhibition "California Pictorialism," by curator John Humphrey, on Thursday, Feb. 24 at 10:30 a.m.

The program is open to all seniors without charge and refreshments will be served.

CORPS

(Continued from Page 1) creation of a Senior Center and improvement of Middle School Park.

In other business, the council:

—Approved purchase of new police radar equipment for about \$1,500.

—Endorsed the concept of a local "town meeting" organized under the auspices of the Institute of Cultural Affairs, San Francisco and Chicago, with no city funding involved.

—Approved creation of a new position "Community

Weak council case against police chief

By NORMAN COLBY
I-G Staff Writer

OAKLAND — A superior court judge is dissatisfied with initial arguments submitted to show that the Albany City Council has the power to forbid the use of its police department's PSE machine.

Judge Robert Kroninger yesterday allowed seven days for submission of an amended petition by City Attorney Larry Saler.

Saler indicated he will augment his petition with other materials including the Albany City Charter, "Section 3" listing the city council's powers.

After receiving the amended petition, Judge Kroninger will set a new date for deciding on a demurrer filed by Police Chief James Simmons' attorney, alleging that the city's petition is without legal basis.

Yesterday's hearing was scheduled after the Albany City Council voted 3-2 to ban the Psychological Stress Evaluator, and Chief Simmons refused to obey, saying the machine would continue to be available to officers for investigative use.

The PSE machine is designed to determine truth and falsity of suspects' statements by recording and measuring voice patterns. Opponents claim the machine is unreliable and dangerous to constitutional safeguards.

Simmons has praised the

being used to protect suspects' rights.

When City Attorney Saler filed a petition for a court writ, Chief Simmons retained his own private legal counsel, attorney Christopher Burdick of San Francisco.

Simmons indicated that Burdick's bill for services will be sent to the city. The private attorney's fee is about \$75 per hour.

Saler later commented that he was surprised that the judge would ask for supporting arguments this early in the case, since he had planned to introduce them during the formal hearing after the demurrer question is settled.

Burdick later commented that he will resubmit his demurrer challenging the legal sufficiency of the petition after the petition is amended.

During the session, Judge Kroninger asked Saler for legal authorities relating not only to the council's power to perform acts, but also its powers to forbid other officials from performing acts, such as using a PSE machine.

Elaine Gerstler, attorney for the American Civil Liberties Union, appeared, saying she was acting as a friend of the city. She conferred with Saler after the hearing.

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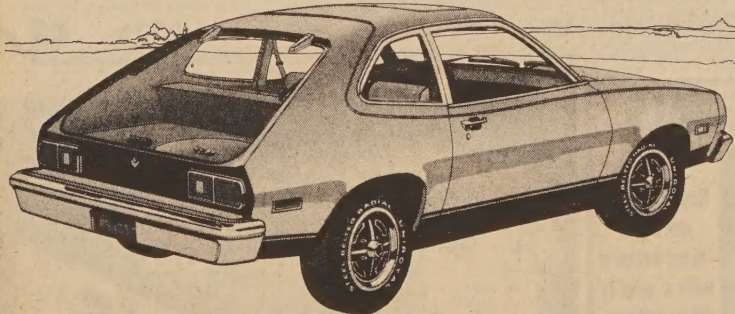
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Times Hometown news

An Albany High School boy who became a presidential advisor and one of the ranking officials of the Defense Department, recently switched from public service to industrial management, after being offered \$180,000 a year to make the change.

Malcolm R. Currie, AHS Class of '44, served in the Pentagon under President Ford, as a director of missile systems. Hughes Aircraft last week offered him a vice-presidency to direct similar work for the firm.

Currie, 49, could not be reached for comment, but one of his Albany classmates, Jean (nee MacKellar) DeJong, said he had worked for Hughes for 15 years (the last five as a vice-president) before joining Beckman Instruments, Inc. in 1969. He went to the Defense Department in 1973 as the department's third ranking official.

Jean, who managed Currie's campaign when he ran successfully for president of the AHS student body in 1943, "he's made quite a climb up the ladder. But everyone was certain, even then, that he'd have a great future."

Currie however, has sustained a few jolts in his drive to success. He was reprimanded last year by then Secretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld for taking a free fishing vacation from Rockwell International Corp. at the company's lodge in the Bahamas. Rockwell is the principal contractor on the Air Force's B-1 supersonic bomber.

While the Albany engineer was in the Pentagon, Hughes aircraft was given a \$104 million contract to "Americanize" the German-French Roland Missile as a step toward standardization of weapons by NATO allies. The missile is already in production in West Germany and France.

Late last year, Defense Department officials acknowledged that the Army had not wanted to accept the weapon in the first place. According to defense sources, Currie was instrumental in pushing the Roland program over the opposition of the Army and the House Armed Services Committee.

Conflict of interest laws that govern Pentagon employees prohibit a person from representing a company with which he had a direct involvement while in government. But that has been taken to apply mostly to procurement officials, not high-ranking policy officials.

President Carter has said he wants a law that will prohibit those leaving the government for industry from having contact with the government agency where they worked for two years after leaving.

The pay is a lot greater than it was back in Currie's campus days, but so, apparently, are the headaches.

Jerry A. Williams of Albany's Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7636, and a member of the V.F.W.'s National Legislative Committee, will attend the organization's Mid-Winter Conference of National Officers and Department Commanders, to be held in Washington, D.C. this weekend.

The V.F.W. leaders will appear before Congressional Committees responsible for veterans legislation and present the organization's legislative goals for 1977.

Times Mailbag

Dear Sir:
I wish to give thanks to the Albany Fire, Police, and the Paramedics in particular.

I understand that there is some discussion about them in the council, as to the fact that they are not necessary to the public. Well to all their detractors I hope they do not ever need them as I did last month.

Because of them, and them alone, I am still alive. In the middle of the night (as so often happens) I had a massive heart attack and I am only here today because of their training and devotion to duty.

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Kensington residents wage war against crime

By GORDON RADDUE

I-G Staff Writer

KENSINGTON — It was just a few years ago that then Police Chief George Yool and his successor-to-be, Sgt. Walter Gist, expressed concern about the unwillingness of this bedroom community's residents to "get involved" in criminal matters.

Today, despite a modest crime rate that people of neighboring communities can only envy, public apathy is rapidly diminishing with the development of a citizens' crime prevention program with a potential to become a model for other areas to follow.

Thirty percent of the city's 165 blocks have been organized into a system known as the Kensington Home Alert, headed by Jessie White, president of the Kensington Property Owners Assn., and attracting well in excess of 100 persons to its monthly meetings.

Police-community rapport is such that citizens' complaints against officers are virtually unheard of. Both elements are determined to keep Kensington's crime figures low at a time when many cities across the nation have come to view high crime rates as a permanent state of affairs.

Gist, in his fifth year as police chief, doesn't feel such a fate is inevitable for Kensington, but he sees some dark clouds on the horizon and is very appreciative of the work that the Kensington Home Alert is doing to help drive some of those clouds away.

"Crime has been picking up in recent years here," said Gist. "We didn't have any violent crime until four or five years ago, but we're starting to get it now."

"We had one case where a burglar tied up a woman and ripped off her house," he said. "Another time a man asked a woman if he could use her phone because of car trouble, then knocked her down and stole her purse."

"We also have seen two officers shot at," he added. "All this is new in recent years."

"Burglary has the biggest crime potential here," said Gist. "The number of burglaries actually went down to 61 last year from 75 the year before, but the total loss went up from \$42,751 to \$69,843."

Gist points with pride to the fact that not a single burglary was reported in Kensington during December, traditionally the heaviest month of the year for this offense.

"We made a special effort and it paid off," he said. "I'm definitely convinced, contrary to what some other departments will tell you, that the movement of police cars has a tremendous impact on burglary. We've made some good on-view burglary busts with out around-the-clock patrol."

"The more uncommitted patrol time and the greater the visibility of policemen, the less crime there's going to be," he added. "You can't eliminate crime, but at least



JESSIE WHITE ORIENTS POLICE CHIEF WALKER GIST ON KENSINGTON HOME ALERT
Mrs. White's crime prevention system could be model for other areas

—I-G photo

you can keep it from escalating."

With a new addition this month, the Kensington Police Department now numbers 10 sworn officers, including Gist.

Although the number of actual felonies in the city dropped from 105 in 1975 to 80 last year, Gist said case loads have been picking up every year because of the steadily increasing complexity of officers' investigations, report writing and court appearances.

"New court decisions come down so fast that what was legal yesterday is thrown out today," he said. "It's extremely demoralizing to your officers. How do you keep their initiative up when they make a good arrest and the case is thrown out because of a technicality?"

"I'm a believer in punishment and I also believe everybody's worth a second chance," he added, "but after a guy's been given a second chance and still can't conform to society, he should be put away. There is a certain kind of criminal today who has no morality or conscience," he said. "He doesn't care what happens to you and me. He's like a communicable disease."

Gist feels most crimes for gain are probably drug-related. Poverty, he believes, is a reason but not an excuse for crime. The oft-discussed breakdown of the family as the basic unit of society could be a factor in the moral decline, he said, but he noted there is also a vast increase in white collar crime involving "good family men."

The Kensington Home Alert, according to Mrs. White, developed from ac-

tions by the Contra Costa County Crime Prevention Committee to set up neighborhood groups to be the eyes and ears of police departments.

"I think Kensington has a good record now but we want to keep it that way," she said. "We're adjacent to Berkeley and we don't want the situation to get like that."

With a background as president of the property owners' group and as an active participant in the United Way, Mrs. White felt she could help set up a home alert system for Kensington.

She got the property owners to subsidize the venture, covering printing, mailing and other operational costs.

The first step in setting up the home alert was to set two natural divisions, or sections, consisting of seven areas each. The areas were then broken down into blocks.

"We came up with a total of 165 blocks, each with a minimum of nine homes and a maximum of 21," Mrs. White said. "We developed a system of 'triangulation' by which a person going on vacation tells a neighbor on each side and one directly across from his or her house to keep a lookout while they're gone."

"We also had a cross-index of streets made and put together three sets of instructions on how people should deal with emergencies," she added. "For example, people are told to phone the police instead of running into someone else's yard when they hear something suspicious."

"We're now in the process of recruiting block leaders," she said. "We have about 50 out of the 165 maximum. It's purely op-

tional. If people want to do it, okay. There's no money involved. It's strictly a loosely-held orientation."

Some of the people, according to Mrs. White, were leery of Kensington going into a "police state," but the home alert system has reaped some positive social benefits.

"We've stressed that the most important facet is that people know one another," she said. "A lot of good vibes have come out of it, including some pretty good parties. Our goal is to have everybody covered. It means getting to know people who aren't mixers and little old ladies who are living by themselves."

"County crime preven-

tion is watching closely," she said. "This is the first time an attempt has been made to completely organize this sort of thing. We have an opportunity to see if it can be done. It could be a model for other areas."

Besides formalizing check lists, passing out instruction sheets and organizing neighborhoods the Kensington Home Alert is working closely with the local police department and is planning on having outstanding speakers in the field of law enforcement at monthly meetings.

On Thursday, March 10, at the annual meeting of the Kensington Property Owners' Assn., at the Kensington Youth Hut, Jim

Hulin of the State Attorney General's Office's crime prevention unit will be guest speaker. The 8 p.m. meeting is open to the public.

There's no panic in Kensington, but there is a growing determination among residents to keep crime from rearing its ugly head to the extent it has in surrounding areas.

Gist's 10-man department has more than Kensington's relatively modest crime rate to be concerned about. It's involved in a mutual assistance program with Albany, Berkeley, El Cerrito and Richmond "from which all benefit," according to Gist.

"The people of this area don't realize how fortunate they are in having so much inter-department cooperation," he said. "I know of a lot of areas that don't have this cooperation."

A department as small as Kensington's doesn't have much room for specialization, but it boasts in Sgt. Jack Christian an evidence technician who has qualified as an "expert witness" in related fields, according to Gist.

There's no bureaucracy in the Kensington PD. Whatever crime an officer responds to becomes his case.

There've been only two homicide cases since Gist joined the department in 1963, and both resulted in a suicide by the responsible Kensington has yet to record its first traffic fatality and the department makes good use of radar in its traffic enforcement to protect that enviable distinction.

American Ballet features Achcar

SAN FRANCISCO — American Ballet Theatre has announced that the additional pas de deux which will be offered on March 10 at the Opera House is "Something Special," a new work by Brazilian choreographer Dalal Achcar, to be danced by Natalia Makarova and Fernando Bujones.

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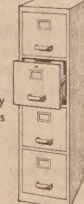
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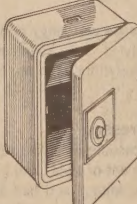
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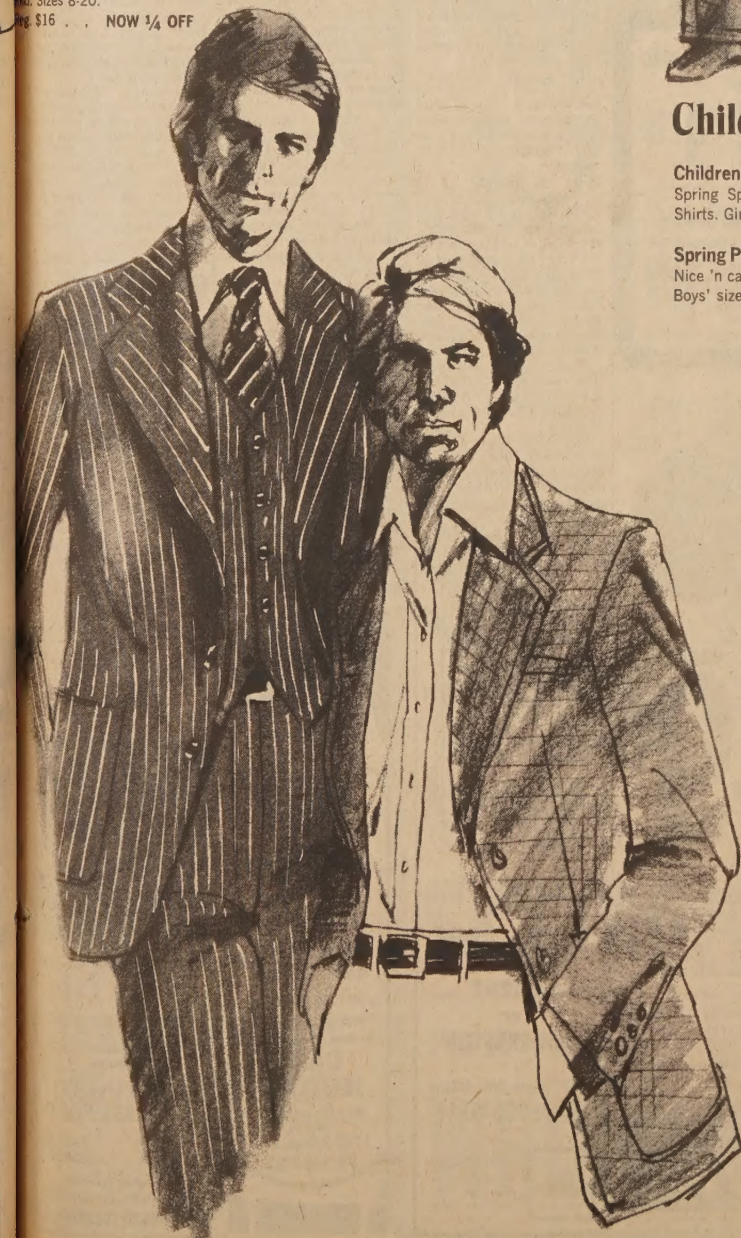
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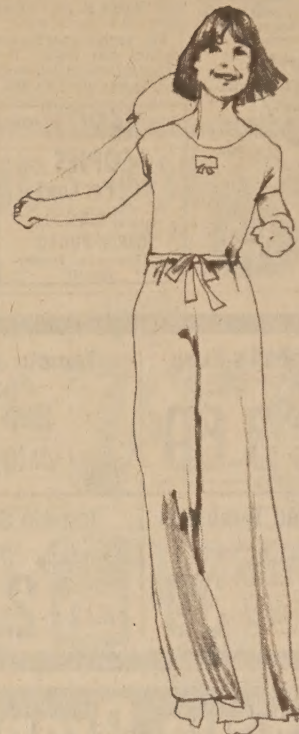
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State sales-tax allocation for Albany totals \$42,500

ALBANY — Albany received \$42,500 as its share of the February allocation of sales and use tax receipts. Alameda County was allocated \$555,000 in sales tax revenue, plus \$1,170,000 from the one-quarter percent county local transportation fund.

The payments were part of the \$120 million distributed by the state this week to California cities and counties.

William M. Bennett, chairman of the State Board of Equalization, added that \$78.2 million was allocated to California cities and \$12.8 million to the counties for a combined payment of \$91 million.

The counties also received \$22.6 million from the quarter-percent local sales and use tax for the county local transportation fund.

The San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District (BART) received \$5.2

million and the Santa Clara County Transit District (SCTT) received \$1.5 million from the additional ½ percent sales tax paid in their respective counties. The BART counties are Alameda, Contra Costa, and San Francisco.

The Board of Equalization administers the 6 percent sales and use tax (6½ percent in the BART and SCTT counties), with 4 percent going to the state and 1½ percent to cities and counties.

Chamber orchestra

SAN FRANCISCO — The San Francisco Chamber Orchestra, under the direction of Edgar Braun, will give a free concert, at The San Francisco Conservatory of Music, Hellman Hall, 1201 Ortega St., San Francisco, on Sunday at 3 p.m.

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PRESENT PROJECT — Dr. Nicholas Koster (right), admires a handcrafted display in the Albany Hospital's Gift Bar operated by Albany Chapter 2618 of the American Association of Retired People. With Dr. Koster is Isabelle G. Betten, president of the local AARP unit. The bar, featuring gift enclosures, is staffed by 22 seamstresses and still

more are needed," according to Lucille Kirby, co-ordinator of the project. Volunteers are asked to call Mrs. Kirby at 524-6668. The AARP also sponsors a Pink Ladies (nurses' aide) group under the direction of Evelyn Ray, who is asking volunteers to call her at 525-6349.

—Luoma photo

Albany church news

Albany Church of the Nazarene

"The Church on the Go" is the topic of a lecture to be delivered at the 11 a.m. services Sunday in the Church of the Nazarene. Sunday school classes for all ages are scheduled at 9:45.

The Rev. Richard Roy, pastor, will lead the rest home service in Richmond at 2 p.m. and speak at the evening service, at seven, in the church at 829 Jackson St.

First Baptist Church

The Lloyd Dieters, Missionaries to Bolivia under the Wycliffe Bible Translators Mission, will be making a presentation concerning their work for Christ at the 7 p.m. service Sunday. The congregation is a long-time supporter of their work. The Dieters are currently on furlough and residing in Seattle.

At the 11 a.m. service the Lord's Supper will be observed. Pastor Larry R. Campbell will bring the message "Bread of Life" at this service. The Dieters will be present for this service and will bring greetings.

Mrs. Bobbie Diester also will be the special speaker at the monthly luncheon meeting of the American Baptist Women. This will be held in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, at noon.

Sunday school classes for all ages meet at 9:30 a.m. "Visitors are always welcome."

Albany United Methodist Church

On March 6 the Rev. David Houston will administer Holy Communion at the 11 a.m. service at Albany United Methodist Church, 980 Stannage Ave. The lay assistant will be Bill Nieman. Pastor Houston will give a brief communion message.

Beginning on March 6 there will be a new adult discussion group meeting at the Church Sunday morning from 9:30 to 10:30. It will be led by Jaya Arokia-Samy. The subject is "Non-Western dimensions of Missions, Regional South East Asia."

Albany Christian Science Society

Next Sunday's Bible Lesson Sermon at 11 a.m. is titled "Man." It includes this statement from the Christian Science Textbook: Science and Health with key to the scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy: "Man is not matter; he is not made up of brain, blood, bones, and other material elements. The Scriptures inform us that man is made in the image and likeness of God. Matter is not that likeness. The likeness of Spirit cannot be so unlike Spirit."

The monthly Testimony Meeting will be held this evening at 8 o'clock. Next Tuesday's Reading Room will be open from 2 to 4 p.m. The church is at 1358 Marin Avenue.

St. Alban's Episcopal Church

The Rev. Warren Debenham, rector, will celebrate Holy Communion this morning at 8 o'clock and again at 11:30. Morning Prayer will be read at 6:30 every morning during Lent, with the exception of Sundays and Wednesdays, by Robert Walden, seminarian.

Robert Knapp will open the Food Pantry tomorrow, March 3, and Carolyn Knapp will direct it on March 8.

The Senior Choir will rehearse with Rita Dows, organist and choirmaster, on Thursday, at 7:30 p.m.

"Feminine, Masculine and God"

will be the title of Father Debenham's sermon on March 6, the Second Sunday in Lent. He will preach at both services, at 8 o'clock and 10 o'clock, and will be the celebrant of Holy Communion.

He will be assisted by the Rev. Francis Symons, deacon, and Nabeel Jacob, lay reader. Ann Rolison will read the Old Testament lesson, from Ezekiel; Bill Reichle will be the acolyte for the early service; and Toby Rompel and Jennifer Rogers will serve at the later one.

The Senior Choir will sing "They That Sow in Tears," from "The Holy City," by Gaul, as the offertory anthem. Dr. Walter Reichle and George Coons will be the ushers. A coffee hour in the parish hall will follow the 10 o'clock service.

The adult discussion group will continue its investigation of the Proposed Book of Common Prayer, which will be voted on at the General Convention of the Episcopal Church in 1979. The group meets with Father Debenham at 9 a.m. in the parish library.

St. Alban's Episcopal Church is at 1501 Washington Ave.

Church Women United

The World Day of Prayer will be celebrated by Church Women United, Berkeley-Albany on Friday at 10 a.m.—St. John's Presbyterian Church, 2727 College Ave.

Church Women United will join in the annual observance of prayer that began years ago.

Today, World Day of Prayer is termed "a most important ecumenical and international observance." This year's worship service, prepared by the women of the German Democratic Republic, reflects their hope that women will "strive together to find ways—familiar and new ways—to implement the theme—"Love in Action."

Speaker for the service is Dr. Dorothy Donnelly C.S.J., professor of historical theology on faculty of the Jesuit School of Theology and Pacific School of Religion. Readers will include Margaret Grosse, Gwen Logan and Mary Pickett.

Soloist will be Kay Nien and the communion service will be celebrated by Dr. Mary Eakin. Co-chairmen for the day are Elizabeth Dickey and Jean Rosen.

Cooperation in park projects

OAKLAND — "When it comes to apportioning the East Bay's share of park and recreation funds from recent state legislation, a cooperative approach is the only way the public is going to get what it needs to make the area more liveable."

This stand has been taken by the Board of the East Bay Regional Park District, as state legislators, county and city officers, and park and recreation agency boards struggle to equalize the millions coming in state funds for critically-needed urban recreation.

Immediately involved are \$4 million for Alameda County and \$2.3 million to Contra Costa from the Nejedly-Hart State, Urban and Coastal Park Bond Act of 1976 (Proposition 2) on the November ballot) and \$34,000 coming from the Robert-Z/Berg Urban Park Development Program.

The Roberti program is set up for three years, but the Brown administration has indicated strongly that funding beyond this year's \$25 million will depend upon performance of public agencies in this initial ground.

In a direct effort to ease the Proposition 2 funds distribution, the Park District Board pulled back Tuesday from its original recommendation that the two-county agency receive 25 percent of the state allotments to both counties, directing a greater portion to the cities.

"This Board recognizes and remains aware of the critical need of the cities for park and recreational facilities," stated unanimous resolutions applying to both counties.

From its original 75/25 stance, the Park Board is now recommending that the \$4 million coming to Alameda County be disbursed at 19.8 percent to EBRPD and 2 percent East Bay Municipal Utility District and that the \$2.3 million in Contra Costa be split to give 20.3 percent to EBRPD and 3.35 percent to EBMUD.

The Park District has cited its last year's com-

prehensive survey of parkgoers to show that urban dwellers are heavy users of Regional parks and have pointed out that several EBRPD parklands are, in fact, situated within urban impacted areas.

The ultimate decision on apportionment of the Proposition 2 funds lie with the Boards of Supervisors, following recommendation of their separate advisory bodies which have been holding hearings and gathering basic user-needs materials, the Alameda County Parks Advisory Commission and the Contra Costa County Recreation and Natural Resources Commission.

As for Roberti funds, which Sacramento is eyeing statewide before making the allocation for next year, the Park District has selected development projects at four Regional Shorelines, Point Pinole and George Miller, Jr., in Richmond; San Leandro Bay amid Oakland-Alameda-San Leandro, and Martinez, just off that city's downtown area.

General Manager Richard C. Trudeau said that the involved planning processes, required by the state as well as the EBRPD Master Plan and consuming several months, have been accomplished and that construction is ready to go ahead immediately on these projects.

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Park and Recreation Department activities

Children's pottery display
A hand-built children's pottery display is on display at the Albany Library through March 14. Children in the Albany Park and Recreation Departments pottery class who have objects on display are: Lisa Cruz, Monica Duran, Litha Ramirez, Kathy Holloway, Adi Shalit, Liz Dickerson, Eliani Mullarkey, Kari Shephard, Gina Borgfeldt, Sara Abdulkarim, Valerie Wlasika, Emily De Wolf and Theresa Anthony.

Cornell After School Program
Cornell Hiking Club recently went on an excursion to Memorial Park to join in games and activities. Children participating were: James Mower, Donnie Fowler, Sabrina Howard, Carol Rivas, Lee Harris and Sean Yabasaki.

Terrace Park Activities
Terrace Park children celebrated Valentine's Day with a popcorn party, games and punch. Arts and crafts at Terrace Park celebrated by making valentines and gifts for patients. Come join the fun in the After School activities at the park. Activities include: monthly parties, hiking club, bowling, special excursions, jogging, bike club, arts and crafts and athletic games. Sign up with director Carl Ackerman.

Memorial Park Activities
Inner School athletic games and hockey are on the agenda for the After School Program at Memorial Park. Special excursions to the Albany Bowl and Berkeley Island are programmed for the month. Field trips to various points of interest are on the agenda monthly. Special Biker trips are scheduled monthly. Come join the fun activities by signing up with directors Charles Norman and Geoffrey Chin.

Obituary notices

Arrie McCauley
Funeral services for Arrie McCauley, 63, a former Albany resident, were conducted last week at the Earl Brothers Mortuary in Woodland, preceding interment in the New Yolo Cemetery.
Mr. McCauley, who made his home with a daughter, Mrs. Pati Hansen of 19 North College Ave., Woodland, died of injuries sustained when he was struck by a car at an intersection near his home.
Children surviving Mr. McCauley (in addition to Hansen), are Michael, Chicago, Dennis of San Francisco, and Molly, a brother, D. McCauley of Pinole, a sister, Dorthea Riep of Richmond, and 13 grandchildren.

Home Society 'Pot of Gold' bridge party

KENSINGTON — Alad Chapter of Children's Home Society will host its annual "Bridge — Game Luncheon" March 16, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The theme for the fund raiser, "Pot of Gold".
It will be held at the Arlington Community Church, Kensington. Donations of \$5 and the proceeds will be used to support the CHS counseling program, foster care and adoptions which now include intercountry adoptions.
Mrs. Robert Johnson, general chairwoman will be assisted by Mrs. Willi Daniels, food chairwoman; Mrs. Gregg Cook, reservation and stage decoration chairwoman; Mrs. Walter Emmend and Mrs. John McLehan, table decoration chairwomen; Mrs. Conly Smith, raffle and door prize chairwoman; and Mrs. Willard Jackson, publicity chairwoman.

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Albany area club news, activities

Albany Unit 292 American Legion Aux.
Albany Unit 292, American Legion Auxiliary will hold its annual Fashion Show March 12 at 12 noon in the Veterans Memorial Building, Portland and Ramona.
Women's fashions will be shown by "Marlene's" and

SFSU presenting Stephen Spender
SAN FRANCISCO — San Francisco State University will present Stephen Spender, distinguished poet, translator and critic, reading from his own works, on Tuesday at 8 p.m. in Gresham Hall of Grace Cathedral, 1051 Taylor St.
This reading, presented in conjunction with the University's Poetry Center, is the first of a series of free programs under the auspices of the Public Affairs Office at San Francisco State that deal with the problems of "Moral Choices in Contemporary Society."

Albany Rotary Club
Sheri Staglis, project director of the Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG) will discuss "Emergency Medical Service in Bay Area" at the regular noon session, Tuesday, at Spencers. The service club will observe "East Bay Rotary Day at the Races on March 24," Hal Denham, spokesman for the group, said yesterday.
Albany Lions Club
Lions attending a dinner session at Serbs, Thursday evening, heard Richard Linhardt of the Richmond Breakfast Club, discuss "Law and Probate."
Soroptimist International of Albany
Soroptimists will receive a report on the organization's recent "Wine Tasting and Art Show" at a business session scheduled this evening. The Soroptimists also will map preliminary plans for a "Flea Market" to be held April 30, and are requesting "persons having articles they would like to donate to the cause, to call 525-1388 or 525-1717."

men's fashions by "Chess King."
Tickets are \$2.50, and will include a salad luncheon and dessert. Tina White is general chairman and Nancy Looney will have charge of the luncheon.
Ruth Cote and Chris Correia head the committee for door prizes. For tickets readers may call Tina White, 526-5442 or Lillian Ball, 525-5230.
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Order of the Eastern Star will observe Past Matrons' and Past Patrons' night, Friday at 8 at the Albany Temple.
Johnnie Grisham, P.M. and Roland Grisham, P.P. will preside with the assistance of Leola Bear, P.M. as Associate Matron and Elwood Wallace, P.P. as Associate Patron.
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Berkeley Lodge No. 270, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will meet on Thursday, at 8, in the Berkeley Odd Fellows, Temple 2288 Fulton St.
Noble Grand Albert P. Brewer will preside over the meeting. "A special order of business will be discussed and all the members are urged to be present."
Light refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Stanford Women's Club of East Bay
A series of four Friday lectures starting this Friday are open to the public. The Stanford Women's Club of the East Bay is sponsoring the appearances of four faculty members from the Palo Alto campus who will each talk on his own special interest at the Orinda Community Church. The lectures will start at 10:30 a.m. following coffee at 10, and babysitting will be available at the church at a cost of \$1.50 per lecture.
The first lecture on March

4 is a Psycho-History of the Reformation Period by Lewis Spitz, Prof. of History who has been at Stanford since 1961.
The succeeding lectures: March 11 Prof. Ronald Bracewell, director of the Stanford Radio Astronomy Institute will talk on "Intelligent Life in Outer Space." On March 25 Dr. Carol Jacklin, who is a senior research assistant in the Psychology Dept., will talk about "Power and Dominance." On April 1 the series will conclude with a talk titled "The Day Within Us — Internal Clocks" by Colin Pittendrigh, Professor of biological sciences.
Chairman of the Lecture Series is Mrs. Nancy Von Kugelgen of Piedmont. Reservations at \$3.00 per lecture (\$10 for the series) are handled by Kathy Powell, 284-4722, of Lafayette. Tickets will also be available at the door. All inquiries about babysitting should go to Jane Ord, 284-5977, also of Lafayette, who says that reservations for pre-schoolers will be necessary.
Berkeley

Women's Center
The "Center" will conduct an "Open Bi-Sexual Rap" at 7:30 this evening, and open jam session for Black women on Friday at 7:30. Participants at the latter session are invited to "bring children and voices." Children are welcome.
On three successive Monday evenings, at 7:30, beginning March 7, a "Drop-in Black Feminist Consciousness Raising Group" will meet.
Women's Health Centre
The Women's Health

Centre of the Metropolitan YMCA will present two sessions of modern dance: one beginning today from 12 to 1, and on March 10 from 6 to 7 p.m.
Beginners are welcome. Cunningham and Limon techniques will be taught, as well as some jazz.
For further information, readers may call 451-5711, Ext. 21.

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NJB

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1—REAL ESTATE

BEAUTIFUL ALBANY CORNER
Big 8-room, 3-bedroom, 1½-bath on beautiful corner lot just one block north of Solano in mid-Albany. A most unusual rustic and stucco home with delightful all-electric kitchen and every amenity. Double garage, walled rear yard with gorgeous patio, greenhouse and potting shed. A real offering for the discriminating buyer at \$97,500. After hours call Jean Sindel, 524-0376.

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COMMERCIAL
Big deep C-1 lot on San Pablo Avenue between Virginia and Cedar (approx. 50x130) with small 500 sq. ft. one-story building. AS IS. Asking \$40,000. After hours call Martha Jeans, 525-5119.


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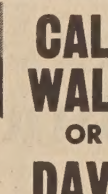
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Open House Sunday, Mar. 6, 2-5. 1601 Kains, Berkeley. Super sharp one-bedroom house. Beautiful new kitchen, dishwasher. Ideal for one person or newlyweds. Low 30's. Eves Sharon Healy, 843-2661.

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14—REAL ESTATE WANTED
AGENT urgently needs a good 4-plex or duplex. Must be in good condition. A cash sale. Call today. Harmon Payne 848-7830.

25—RENTALS
Albany upper 4-room, 2-bedroom unit in triplex with rug, drapes, built-in electric kitchen and refrigerator. Prefer mature single or couple — no pets. On lease \$275 mo.
Richmond lower 4-room, 2-bedroom unit in fourplex, refer., stove and carpets. Prefer couple and one small child. No pets. \$195 mo.

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1-BEDROOM apt. Unfurnished. \$175. Midway Realty, 527-3500.

2-BEDROOM apt. El Cerrito. Unfurnished. \$225. Days 527-3500, eve 232-9100.

ALBANY 2-bedroom apt. Carpets, drapes, stove & refrigerator. Close to transportation. Adults only \$210. Call 525-3175.

MODERN 1-bedroom apt. Carpets, drapes. Near transportation. \$195-210. Adults. No pets. 525-2108.

1-BEDROOM apt. w/o carpets, drapes, stove, refrigerator. Adults. \$165. Compass Realty, 527-8180.

UNFURNISHED 2-bedroom home near Plaza & BART. Formal dining room, attached garage. Large fenced yard. Stove & refrigerator, just painted. Married couple, 1 child O.K. No pets. \$350. 1-year lease. Offer 5 p.m.—527-3076 or 525-6615.

30—RENTALS WANTED
RESPONSIBLE, employed woman, 36, needs small house or duplex in Albany/El Cerrito area. References. Call Margie Newcomb at 642-4874/841-3098.

35—HELP WANTED
MOTHER'S helper wanted. Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 3-6 p.m. Housecleaning, laundry, dinner, some babysitting. Good pay. 525-7475.

WE NEED several LVN's who are people-oriented. No week-end or nights. Call Donna, 525-7705.

30—WORK WANTED
HOUSECLEANING. Experienced, reliable man. References. 841-6500, Ext. 544.

EXPERIENCED mother will babysit any age, full time or part-time. Call 524-8457.

40—MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

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TRASH & TREASURE SALE
Thursday, March 3, 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Berkeley City Club, 2315 Durant Avenue.

ELECTROLUX VACUUM Cleaners
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ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF CHARTER AMENDMENT "A"
Passage of this amendment would enable retired employees to authorize the City of Albany to deduct medical insurance premiums from their pension checks. This amendment is supported by the Albany Firefighters' and Albany Police Officers' Associations. We respectfully request your support for the passage of this amendment.

ALBANY FIREFIGHTERS' ASSOCIATION
MICHAEL D. WILLIAMS, Chairman Albany Police Officers' Association
RON PATTON, Executive Board
1924A—Feb. 23, March 2, 1977

40—MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE
2 BURIAL sites Sunset View Cemetery, Row 9, Graves 82 & 83. Acacia Lawn. Value over \$1100. Total price \$950. Call 687-8920.
COMBINATION bookshelves, desk & storage unit. Good for children's room. Lane cedar chest, contemporary style. Airline console radio, AM & FM with 78 R.P.M. turntable. Make good serving cabinet. Maple highchair, 40 years old. Make offer. 526-3895.
HUMMAGE SALE Saturday, March 5, 10-4 p.m. at Northbrae Community Church, 941 The Alameda. Many good things for sale.
2 BURIAL plots: Sunset View Cemetery, Opposite Mausoleum. Section sold out. Priced \$950. Value \$1100. 526-8551.
HOME GARDENERS' water garden, etc. by hydrostatic pressure using bath/sink waste water. 55-gallon steel container, rust resistant interior, light-fitting removable lid, faucet fitting standard garden/drip hose. 2½" h. stand, \$40, without stand \$30. 527-6608.
GARAGE SALE: 17 Arlington, Kensington, Sat. Sun. March 5 & 6, 10-5. Sofa, stereo sound mixer, paintings, books, clothes, plus.
52—AUTOS FOR SALE
PLYMOUTH '68, 4-door, VIP. Vinyl roof, air, P/S, P/B. Excellent condition, low mileage. Must see to appreciate. Will trade in on travel trailer. 526-4640.

PUBLIC NOTICE
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
FILE NO. 20963
The following person is doing business as:
VELCO VENDING CO.
1498 Posan Avenue
Albany, CA 94706
Britt O. Hall
1498 Posan Avenue
Albany, CA 94706
This business is conducted by an individual.
Signed: BRITT O. HALL
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on February 4, 1977.
CERTIFICATION
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original on file in my office.
Dated: Feb. 4, 1977
RENE C. DAVIDSON
County Clerk
By: EISENNER SIMMS
Deputy
1925A—Publish Feb. 16, 23, March 2, 9, 1977

PUBLIC NOTICE
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
FILE NO. 21034
The following persons are doing business as:
ACCENTS
733 The Alameda
Berkeley, CA 94707
Tyler, Linda T.
733 The Alameda
Berkeley, CA 94707
Tyler, Jack M.
733 The Alameda
Berkeley, CA 94707
This business is conducted by a general partnership.
Signed:
LINDA L. TYLER
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on February 8, 1977.
CERTIFICATION
I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original on file in my office.
Dated: Feb. 8, 1977
RENE C. DAVIDSON
County Clerk
By: EISENNER SIMMS
Deputy
1926A—Publish — Feb. 16, 23, March 2, 9, 1977

PUBLIC NOTICE
RESOLUTION NO. 77-10
A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY PROVIDING THAT A CERTAIN PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ALBANY BE SUBMITTED TO A VOTE OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE SAID CITY.
The COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:
That the Council deems it necessary and desirable to propose an amendment to the Charter of the City of Albany, that the Council hereby proposes, on its own motion, that the following proposal be submitted to the voters of the City of Albany for their approval or rejection at the special election consolidated with the Peralta College District Election to be held on April 18, 1977: said proposed amendment is as follows:
PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT D
That Section 33 of the Charter of the City of Albany be amended by substituting "60 days" in lieu of "30 days"; and by substituting "an officer designated by the Council" in lieu of "city auditor"; and said Section 33 to read as follows:
Section 33. Budget.
"Not later than 60 days before the time for fixing the annual tax levy, an officer designated by the Council shall submit to the Council an estimate of the expenditures and revenues of the city departments for the ensuing year. This estimate shall be compiled from detailed information obtained from the several departments in such form as the Council may prescribe.
"Sufficient copies of such estimate shall be prepared and submitted that there may be copies on file in the office of the Council for inspection by the public unless the Council shall publish the same in a newspaper.
"After duly considering the estimate and preparing the budget, the Council shall pass an ordinance or resolution levying the annual tax."
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the foregoing proposed Charter amendment be published in the "Albany Times," a newspaper of general circulation within the City of Albany, which newspaper is hereby designated for that purpose, and such publication shall be completed not more than sixty (60) days nor less than forty (40) days before the date of the election herein provided for.
JOYCE A. JACKSON
Mayor of the City of Albany
PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this 10th day of January, 1977, by the following votes:
AYES: Councilmembers Gleason, Griffin, Luoma
NOES: Mayor Jackson
ABSENT: Councilman Howell
WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this 10th day of January, 1977.
PATRICIA A. DEMPSTER
City Clerk
1931—Feb. 23, March 2, 1977

PUBLIC NOTICE
RESOLUTION NO. 77-7
A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY PROVIDING THAT A CERTAIN PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ALBANY BE SUBMITTED TO A VOTE OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE SAID CITY.
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PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT A
That the Charter of the City of Albany be amended by adding paragraph (a) to Section 50 thereof, which shall read as follows:
(a) Continued insurance coverage.
"The City Council may, by ordinance, establish a procedure for deductions from pension payments funds, or payments by retirees, for the continuation upon retirement of an employee's participation in any group health or life insurance program. Contribution rate, if any, between the City and the individual's retiree association shall be pursuant to a procedure established by ordinance. The fund, or funds, for any contributions made by the City, for premium payments, shall be designated by the City Council, by ordinance, which fund may include the Police and Fire Relief or Pension Fund."
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AYES: Councilmembers Gleason, Griffin, Howell, Luoma, Mayor Jackson
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this 10th day of January, 1977.
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PUBLIC NOTICE
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PUBLIC NOTICE
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ABSENT: None
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PUBLIC NOTICE
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PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this 10th day of January, 1977, by the following votes:
AYES: Councilmembers Gleason, Griffin, Howell, Luoma, Mayor Jackson
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
WITNESS MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, this 10th day of January, 1977.
PATRICIA A. DEMPSTER
City Clerk
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PUBLIC NOTICE
RESOLUTION NO. 77-17
A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY PROVIDING THAT A CERTAIN PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ALBANY BE SUBMITTED TO A VOTE OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE SAID CITY.
The COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:
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PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT F
That the Charter of the City of Albany be amended by adding paragraph (a) to Section 50 thereof, which shall read as follows:
(a) Continued insurance coverage.
"The City Council may, by ordinance, establish a procedure for deductions from pension payments funds, or payments by retirees, for the continuation upon retirement of an employee's participation in any group health or life insurance program. Contribution rate, if any, between the City and the individual's retiree association shall be pursuant to a procedure established by ordinance. The fund, or funds, for any contributions made by the City, for premium payments, shall be designated by the City Council, by ordinance, which fund may include the Police and Fire Relief or Pension Fund."
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the foregoing proposed Charter amendment be published in the "Albany Times," a newspaper of general circulation within the City of Albany, which newspaper is hereby designated for that purpose, and such publication shall be completed not more than sixty (60) days nor less than forty (40) days before the date of the election herein provided for.
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PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT H
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PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT I
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PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT J
That the Charter of the City of Albany be amended by adding paragraph (a) to Section 50

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RESOLUTION No. 77-9

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY PROVIDING THAT A CERTAIN PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ALBANY BE SUBMITTED TO A VOTE OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE SAID CITY.

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PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT C

That Section 42 of the Charter of the City of Albany be amended by deleting therefrom the words, "ten cents per folio of one hundred words," and substituting in lieu thereof the words, "ten cents per page, except in instances where the Council prescribes as lower charge," and said Section 42 to read as follows:

"Section 42. Official records.

"All books and records of every office and department shall be open to the inspection of any citizen during business hours, subject to the proper rules and regulations for the efficient conduct of the business of such department or office, provided, the records of the police department shall not be subject to such inspection except by permission of the proper police authorities.

"Copies or extracts, duly certified from said books and records open for inspection, shall be given by the officer having the same in custody to any person demanding the same and paying or tendering ten cents per page, except in instances where the Council prescribes a lower charge, for such copies or extracts, and the additional sum of twenty-five cents for certifying.

"All officers and boards, shall deliver to their successors all papers, books, documents, records, archives and other properties pertaining to their respective offices or departments, in their possession or under their control."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the foregoing proposed Charter amendment be published in the "Albany Times," a newspaper of general circulation within the City of Albany, which newspaper is hereby designated for that purpose, and such publication shall be completed not more than sixty (60) days nor less than forty (40) days before the date of the election herein provided for.

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NOES: Councilmembers Howell, Jackson
ABSENT: None

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RESOLUTION No. 77-8

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PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT B

That Section 30 of the Charter of the City of Albany be amended by deleting said Section which now reads as follows:

"Section 30. Contract work.

"In the erection and improvement of all public buildings, and works, in all street and sewer work, other than renewals or repairs, or in or about embankments or other works for protection against overflow, and in furnishing any supplies or materials for the same, when the expenditure required for the same shall exceed the sum of three hundred dollars, the same shall be done by contract, and shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder, after notice by publication in a newspaper of general circulation published in Alameda County.

"Provided that the council may reject any and all bids presented and may re-advertise, in their discretion, and.

"Provided further, that after rejecting bids the council may declare and determine by a four-fifths vote of all its members that in its opinion the work in question may be more economically or satisfactorily performed by day labor, or the materials or supplies purchased at a lower price in the open market, and after adoption of a resolution to this effect, it may proceed to have the same done in the manner stated without further observance of the foregoing provisions of this section; and.

"Provided further, that in case of a great public calamity, such as an extraordinary fire, flood, storm, epidemic or other disaster, the council may by resolution passed by a vote of four-fifths of all its members, declare and determine that public interest and necessity demand the immediate expenditure of public money to safeguard life, health or property, and thereupon they may proceed to expend, or enter into a contract involving the expenditure of, any sum required in such emergency."

and adding in lieu of the above the following, and said Section 30 to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 30. Contract work.

"As used in this section, 'public project' means:

(a) A project for the erection, improvement, and repair of public buildings and works.

(b) Work on or about streets, bays, water fronts, embankments, or other work for protection against overflow.

(c) Street or sewer work except maintenance or repair.

(d) Furnishing supplies or materials for any such project, including maintenance or repair of streets or sewers.

"When the expenditure required for a public project exceeds Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00), it shall be contracted for and let to the lowest responsible bidder after notice.

"It shall be unlawful to split or separate into smaller work orders or projects any public work project for the purpose of evading the provisions of this section requiring public work to be done by contract after competitive bidding.

"The notice inviting bids shall set a date for the opening of bids. The first publication or posting of the notice shall be at least ten (10) days before the date of opening the bids. Notice shall be published at least twice, not less than five (5) days apart, in a newspaper or general circulation published in the City, or if there is none, it shall be posted in at least three (3) public places in the City that have been designated by ordinance as the places for posting public notices. The notice shall distinctly state the project to be done.

"In its discretion, the Council may reject any bids presented and re-advertise. If two or more bids are the same and the lowest, the Council may accept the one it chooses. If no bids are received the Council may have the project done without further complying with this section.

"After rejecting bids, the Council may pass a resolution by a four-fifths vote of its members declaring that the project can be performed more economically by day labor, or the materials or supplies furnished at a lower price in the open market. Upon adoption of the resolution, it may have the project done in the manner stated without further complying with this section.

"If there is a great public calamity, as an extraordinary fire, flood, storm, epidemic, or other disaster, or if it is necessary to do emergency work to prepare for national or local defense, the Council may pass a resolution by a four-fifths vote of its members declaring that the public interest and necessity demand the immediate expenditure of public money to safeguard life, health, or property. Upon adoption of the resolution, it may expend any sum required in the emergency without complying with this section."

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Mayor of the City of Albany

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AYES: Councilmembers Gleason, Griffin, Luoma
NOES: Councilmembers Howell, Jackson
ABSENT: None

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PATRICIA A. DEMPSTER
City Clerk
1936A—Feb. 23; March 2, 1977

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the State of California for the County of Alameda

Estate of JAS. R. CONKEY, also known as JAMES R. CONKEY, also known as JAMES RUSSELL CONKEY, also known as J. R. CONKEY, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the Law Office of STANLEY R. KENDALL, 1619 Shattuck Avenue, Berkeley, California 94709. Telephone: 848-7363. Attorney for Executor.

Dated: February 16, 1977.

MARIE A. KENDALL
Executrix of the holographic Will of the above named decedent

STANLEY R. KENDALL
Attorney at Law
1619 Shattuck Avenue
Berkeley, California 94709
Telephone: 848-7363
Attorney for Executor.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the State of California for the County of Alameda

Estate of EASTON DOYLE COLVIN, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the Law Offices of JACK C. RUNNION, Attorney at Law, Professional Building, Suite 125, El Cerrito, California 94530, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated: February 16, 1977.

ROBERT D. COLVIN
Executor of the Will of the above named decedent

JACK C. RUNNION
Attorney at Law
Professional Bldg., Suite 125
El Cerrito Plaza
El Cerrito, California 94530
524-3161
Attorney for Executor.

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS

NAME STATEMENT

File No. 21144

THE FOLLOWING PERSON IS DOING BUSINESS AS:

RESTORATION WORKSHOP

15515 Solano Avenue
Berkeley, Cal. 94707

MAUREN L. SHOCKLEY
15515 Solano Avenue
Berkeley, Cal. 94707

This business is conducted by an individual.

MAUREN SHOCKLEY

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Alameda County on Feb. 15, 1977.

ORDINANCE No. 77-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ALBANY AMENDING THE ALBANY CITY CODE BY ADDING SECTION 22-2-9 THERETO TO PROVIDE WORKERS' COMPENSATION PAYMENTS FOR POLICE RESERVE OFFICERS.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALBANY DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: The Albany City Code is hereby amended by adding Section 22-2-9 thereto, which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 22-2-9. Workers' Compensation for Police Reserves.

"Members of the City of Albany Police Reserve are entitled to the benefits provided by the Workers' Compensation laws of the State of California if sustaining injuries arising out of the course and scope of their activities while performing Police Reserve duties, subject, however, to the following conditions:

(a) Recovery available shall be comparable to weekly payments afforded regular members of the City Police Department of the rank of Patrolman.

(b) Payment of benefits shall commence on the first day of such duty-incurred injury; provided, however, if time lost thereafter is for less than one-half (1/2) day, no payment shall accrue, and if time lost thereafter is in excess of one-half day, a full day payment shall accrue."

Section 2: This Ordinance shall be published once in the "Albany Times," a newspaper of general circulation within the City of Albany, which said newspaper is designated for that purpose, and shall become effective on and after its final passage, adoption and publication.

JOYCE A. JACKSON
Mayor of the City of Albany

LAWRENCE D. SALTER
City Attorney
Albany, California
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA
CITY OF ALBANY

I, PATRICIA A. DEMPSTER, City Clerk of the City of Albany, California, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the City Council of the said City of Albany is five; that the foregoing Ordinance, being Ordinance No. 77-02 was passed and adopted by the said City Council, approved and signed by the Mayor of said City and attested by the City Clerk of said City, all at a regular meeting of the said Council on the 22nd day of February, 1977, A.D., and that the same was so passed and adopted by the following votes:

AYES: Councilmembers Gleason, Griffin, Howell, Luoma and Mayor Jackson.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the City of Albany this 22nd day of February, 1977.

PATRICIA A. DEMPSTER
City Clerk
(SEAL)

A-1936—March 2, 1977

POLICY

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sponded. "To not have them represented on the board would be ignoring our children and their parents. It's the responsibility of minorities to take their problems to the board and it's the board's responsibility to find solutions."

The matter of split classes, the practice of combining students in consecutive grades in schools where there aren't enough children in either grade for separate classes, is something that has to be faced as an existing fact, she said.

"However," she added, "I think the composition of such classes should be very carefully thought out and the teachers assigned to them be ones who have demonstrated capability to handle multi-level instruction."

"I wouldn't mind bright fifth graders put with slower sixth graders," she continued, "but I strongly object to, say, bright sixth graders put with under-achieving fifth graders. There's no justice to either the teacher or the children in such cases."

"It's been demonstrated by educators," she added, "that children respond most favorably to information and concepts that are only slightly ahead of their present level. Children learn best in steps."

The small neighborhood school, she believes, is a good idea.

"I've always felt children shouldn't be taken out of their neighborhoods," she said. "After that, I don't think it hurts the children any. It hassles the parents more than the children. Most children are psychologically ready for wider horizons by the time they are 10."

Should the district close down a few elementary schools and send children to the next closest schools as a means of easing financial problems?

"It would be all right where children can be absorbed into schools no further from their home than the ones they were transferred from," she said. "But parents should be consulted and given a choice of which neighborhood school their children will be transferred to."

Faces charge of robbery

ALBANY — Formal robbery charges against an Oakland man arrested by a Golden Gate Fields security guard were filed Monday in Berkeley-Albany Municipal Court.

The suspect, Terry Lee Walker, 20, was seen running from the scene of a robbery against Louis Gilson, 66, of Forestville around 5 p.m. Friday by security guard Thomas Kastanos, who made the arrest.

Walker was turned over to Albany police who are holding him under \$5,120 bail.

Symphony for school children

A multi-media symphonic program is scheduled for Bay Area school children during the San Francisco Symphony's 1977 Youth Concerts, March 4, 11, 18, and 25. Verbal commentary, graphic aids and music will be combined.



Honorary service award recipients
Phyllis Van Ness, Barbara Baloff

Kensington PTA presents awards

In recognition of years of service to children and youth, Honorary Service awards were given by Kensington PTA on Founders Day.

Barbara Baloff, an unpaid, volunteer teacher's aide in Florence Benz sixth-grade class, was honored for her dedication and sensitivity to the needs of children. During the past five years, she has given many tireless hours tutoring students in reading, often extending her efforts beyond those required. She has been particularly effective tutoring minority youth

who are project participants of the state-funded, SB-90 program.

Phyllis Van Ness, formerly a teacher at Sheldon School, has taught children at Kensington School for nine years. Long recognized as a loving, outstanding teacher by her peers, parents and students, she was given an award for her major contribution in meeting the needs of students who have special learning difficulties. Mrs. Van Ness is currently a member of the California Association of Neurologically Handicapped Children (CANHC).

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Two Albany students studying in Jerusalem

ALBANY — Two Albany youngsters — David Rubin, the son of Thelma Rubin of Hillside, and Ana Rochelle Mason, daughter of Mill and Ann Mason of 963 Ventura Ave. — are in Jerusalem as students attending a Young Judeaean year course in Israel. There are 180 enrolled this semester.

Young Judeaean (Hashachar) is a youth movement sponsored by Hadassah. In Israel the headquarters of the year course are at the Hadassah Riklis Youth Center on Mount Scopus, Jerusalem. Members of the course devote considerable time to volunteer services in deprived areas in Jerusalem.

They teach the children of large families English, sport, music, dance and various arts and crafts. In addition, they spend many hours a week studying Hebrew, ancient and modern Jewish history, social and political problems of Israel, and modern Jewish philosophy and literature.

After spending five months in Jerusalem, the Young Judeaean go out to do their field work in moshavim, kibbutzim and development towns newly established in Israel. In the final months of their Israeli experience, each participant chooses the job in which he is interested in order to get the "feel" of working in Israel.

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100's: 12 mg. "tar," 0.9 mg. nicotine av. per cigarette by FTC Method.

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